

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held June 26, 2007, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Burke made the following statement:

"The Debutante Ball, an African-American ceremony to introduce young ladies to society, will be hosted for the second year, to expose foster children from the Compton area of the Second District to this tradition. This year's multicultural event, called the 'Cinderella Ball,' similar in that aspect to the Second District Quinceanera that was hosted in May, is part of an effort to promote respect across the ethnic spectrums. The use fees for the event, which will be hosted at a County venue, must be waived.

"The ultimate goal of the effort is to increase understanding and respect for each other's cultural traditions. Twenty foster girls and twenty foster boys will be introduced to society after intensive training in forgiveness, goal setting, etiquette and career planning. This Second Annual event is scheduled for Saturday, July 28, 2007 from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. at the Los Angeles County Museum of Natural History located at 900 Exposition Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, 90007. This event gives these youths a chance to explore their potential for an exciting and promising future."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried, the Board waived facility fees and parking fees totaling \$2,800, and staffing fees in the amount of \$2,300, excluding the cost of liability insurance, at the Museum of Natural History for the Second Annual Debutante Ball, called the "Cinderella Ball," for foster youth from the Compton area of the Second Supervisorial District, to be held July 28, 2007 from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

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